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For: TRANSMISSION LINE ASSEMBLY, INTEGRATED CIRCUIT, AND

TRANSMITTER-RECEIVER APPARATUS

# AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

# INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

#### **FEE CALCULATION**

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

\_\_\_\_ If checked, Small Entity status is claimed

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	No. Claims		Highest No.		Extra		Rate	Additional
	After		Previously		Present			Fee
	Amendment		Paid For					
Total	15	MINUS	20**	=_	0	X		\$
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First presentation of multiple dependent claim(s) X						\$		
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<sup>\*</sup> not less than 20

In the event the actual fee is greater than the payment submitted or is inadvertently not enclosed or if any additional fee during the prosecution of this application is not paid, the Patent Office is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2215.

### **CONTINGENT EXTENSION REQUEST**

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-2215.

#### **SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

## **SPECIFICATION**

X	There are no amendments to the specification.
	Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate
	section

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